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SOUTHEAST ALASKA SPRING TROLL FISHERY CORRECTION

Sitka. . . The Alaska Department of Fish and Game announced today the following information concerning the spring troll fishery areas:

Area descriptions for three spring troll areas have been corrected to agree with current boundary lines. No line changes have been made. As a clarification, the southern boundary line of the Chatham Strait spring troll area is adjacent to the northern boundary line of the Little Port Walter spring troll area and is also adjacent to the northern boundary line of the Tebenkof Bay spring troll area.

Little Port Walter (Fishery area 109-10): In Chatham Strait, only in those waters of Section 9-A **south of a line from Patterson Point Light to Point Ellis (56°33.12' N. lat, 134°19.08' W. long)** and north of 56°15.83' N. lat (located immediately south of Graveyard Cove), including all waters of Patterson Bay, Deep Cove, Port Herbert, Port Walter, Port Lucy, and Port Conclusion.

Tebenkof Bay (Fishery Area 109-62): In Section 9-B, the waters of Tebenkof Bay **south of a line from Patterson Point Light to Point Ellis (56°33.12' N. lat, 134°19.08' W. long)**, north of the latitude of Point Harris Light (56°17.41' N lat, 134°17.96' W. long) and east of 134°24.00' W. long.

Chatham Strait (Fishery Area 112-12): The waters of Chatham Strait and Frederick Sound south of the latitude of Point Hepburn, including the waters of Freshwater Bay, Tenakee Inlet, and Kelp Bay, and excluding the waters of the Hidden Falls Terminal Area (112-22); waters **north of a line from Patterson Point Light to Point Ellis (56°33.12' N. lat, 134°19.08' W. long)**, including Keku Strait and Port Camden and west of the District 9/10 boundary (the southernmost tip of Elliot Island to Point McCartney); waters of Peril Strait and Hoonah Sound north of the latitude of Pogibshi Point at 57°30.56' N. lat. Waters south of the latitude of Point Ellis (56°33.12' N. lat) are excluded.

The spring troll fishery webpage can be found at:

http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyareasoutheast.salmon_trollspring.

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